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Dear Mr. Douglas,

This letter is an interim response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) for the following information:

- 150 segments of video footage, over 7,000 photographs, and related database. (As referred to in NCSTAR1-5, Executive Summary, page xxxiii, section E.2, paragraph 2)
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For reference purposes, your request was received at the NIST Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Control Desk on January 3, 2006 and was assigned Log #06-32.

NIST has obtained approval from some owners and/or custodians of the documents requested in the first bullet, (referred to in NCSTAR1-5, Executive Summary, page xxxiii, section E.2, paragraph 2), and one hundred eighty-six (186) responsive records are being released to you in their entirety.

Thank you for your patience. We will continue to send you releasable documents on a rolling basis as they become available.

Sincerely,

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Freedom of Information Act Officer

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Dear Mr. Douglas,

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Under our June 8, 2009 interim response, NIST released one-hundred eighty-six (186) responsive records with watermarks. At this time NIST is re-releasing those 186 records to you without watermarks and an additional one hundred ninety-five (195) records on the enclosed cd.

Some documents being released may be protected by copyrights owned by private individuals or organizations, and may be subject to restrictions on use. You may want to obtain legal advice prior to further dissemination.

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NIST is releasing two thousand seven-hundred-seventy-nine (2,779) records to you on the enclosed nine (9) cds.

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NIST is releasing seventy-eight (78) records to you at this time.

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NIST is releasing three hundred forty-four (344) disks consisting of twenty-one thousand, eight hundred fifty-five (21,855) images, two hundred sixteen (216) full length videos and three hundred two (302) video files to you at this time.

Some documents being released may be protected by copyrights owned by private individuals or organizations, and may be subject to restrictions on use. You may want to obtain legal advice prior to further dissemination.

The City of New York has provided NIST with the following notices:
"Please take notice that the City of New York ("City") has asserted that each of the enclosed NYPD photographs is protected under the Copyright Act, 17 U.S.C. sections 101 et seq. The City expressly reserves its rights in these materials, and requires that you obtain the City's permission prior to any reproduction, modification, adaptation, recompilation, or other derivative use of each photograph, and prior to the commercial distribution of any photograph, or reproduction thereof in any medium, by sale, rental, lease, lending or other means. The City requires that the instant notice accompany any photograph that you disseminate for any reason, including dissemination that complies with the fair use authorized by section 107 of the Copyright Act, and requires that each recipient of these materials comply with the instant Notice. Please write to the New York City Police Department, Legal Bureau, 1 Police Plaza, Room 1406, New York, N. Y. 10038, for information about obtaining an appropriate license."

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Dear Mr. Douglas,

This letter is the ninth interim response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request #06-32 to National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) for the following information:

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NIST is releasing four thousand, four hundred and sixty-one (4,461) images on the enclosed one hundred and forty-six (146) disks to you at this time.

Please note that the disk labeled Group 34, Disk 1, contains copies of images provided to NIST by the Fire Department of New York. The City of New York has provided NIST with the following notice:
"Please take notice that the City of New York ("City") has asserted that each of the enclosed FDNY photographs is protected under the Copyright Act, 17 U.S.C. sections 101 et seq. The City expressly reserves its rights in these materials, and requires that you obtain the City's permission prior to any reproduction, modification, adaptation, recompilation, or other derivative use of each photograph, and prior to the commercial distribution of any photograph, or reproduction thereof in any medium, by sale, rental, lease, lending or other means. The City requires that the instant notice accompany any photograph that you disseminate for any reason, including dissemination that complies with the fair use authorized by section 107 of the Copyright Act, and requires that each recipient of these materials comply with the instant Notice. Please call the Counsel to the New York City Fire Department at (718) 999-2040 for information about obtaining an appropriate license."

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Dear Mr. Douglas,

This letter is the tenth interim response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request #06-32 to National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) for the following information:

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NIST is releasing two (2) electronic files on the enclosed disk.

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Dear Mr. Douglas,

This letter is the eleventh interim response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request #06-32 to National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) for the following information:

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NIST is releasing four thousand, and nineteen (4,019) images on the enclosed nine (9) disks.

Please note that the images contained on disk labeled Group 36 were provided to NIST by the City of New York Police Department. The City of New York has provided NIST with the following notice:
"Please take notice that the City of New York ("City") has asserted that each of the enclosed NYPD photographs is protected under the Copyright Act, 17 U.S.C. sections 101 et seq. The City expressly reserves its rights in these materials, and requires that you obtain the City's permission prior to any reproduction, modification, adaptation, recompilation, or other derivative use of each photograph, and prior to the commercial distribution of any photograph, or reproduction thereof in any medium, by sale, rental, lease, lending or other means. The City requires that the instant notice accompany any photograph that you disseminate for any reason, including dissemination that complies with the fair use authorized by section 107 of the Copyright Act, and requires that each recipient of these materials comply with the instant Notice. Please write to the New York City Police Department, Legal Bureau, 1 Police Plaza, Room 1406, New York, NY 10038, for information about obtaining an appropriate license."

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Dear Mr. Douglas,

This letter is the twelfth interim response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request #06-32 to National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) for the following information:

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- Visual material not covered by above. (As referred to in NCSTAR1-5, Chapter 2, section 2.1.2, and elsewhere)."

NIST is releasing three thousand, four hundred and seventy (3,470) images on the enclosed eighteen (18) disks.

Please note that the images contained on disks labeled "Group 38, Disk 12 and Disk 13" were provided to NIST by the City of New York Police Department. The City of New York has provided NIST with the following notice:
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Please note that the images contained on disks labeled "Group 38, Disk 6 and Disk 17" were provided to NIST by the New York City Fire Department. The City of New York has provided NIST with the following notice:
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Dear Mr. Douglas,

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In this thirteenth and final response, NIST is releasing one thousand two hundred and sixty-nine (1,269) images, thirteen (13) full length videos, and one (1) video clip on the enclosed seventeen (17) disks.

The nine (9) full length videos and one (1) video clip on the disks labeled "Group 42, Disks 1 through 10" were provided to NIST by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). The FBI reviewed that material under the FOIA *(FBI FOIA #1140486-000)*, and made some redactions to each of the nine (9) full length videos and the one (1) video clip pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6) and (b)(7)(C) of the FOIA. Exemption (b)(6) of the FOIA (5 U.S.C. Section 552(b)(6)), exempts from disclosure "personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy." Exemption (b)(7)(C) of the FOIA (5 U.S.C. Section 552(b)(7)(C)) exempts from disclosure "records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information … could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy." The FBI determined that the redacted material is protected from disclosure. The circular or elliptical blurs in certain frames represent deleted images (such as individuals' faces) and pauses on the audio track represent deleted portions of the narrative and/or conversation (such as names and personal phone numbers).

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Please note that the full length videos contained on disks labeled "Group 39, Disks 1, 2, 3 and Group 43, Disk 1" were provided to NIST by the City of New York Police Department. The City of New York has provided NIST with the following notice:
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The City of New York reviewed the full length video on disk labeled "Group 43, Disk 1" and informed NIST that the video includes the telephone number of an employee's wife which is spoken aloud. NIST has determined that this information is protected from disclosure under exemption (b)(6) of the FOIA (5 U.S.C. Section 552(b)(6)). This information is identified by a short pause on the audio track, representing a deleted portion of the narrative and/or conversation.

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In response to this request, NIST has released thirty-seven thousand seven hundred and fifty-two (37,752) records under the previous twelve (12) interim responses. NIST is withholding a total of six thousand four hundred and forty (6,440) records pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(4), which exempts from disclosure "trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential." These records either originated from or pertained to outside entities and contained information determined to be privileged or proprietary by NIST based on information provided by the entities. Pursuant to Department of Commerce regulations (15 C.F.R. §§ 4.1-4.11), the submitters were notified of the FOIA request and provided the opportunity to identify any confidential commercial information. NIST reviewed the submitter responses in determining that the submissions are exempt from disclosure.

You have the right to appeal a denial or partial denial of the FOIA request. An appeal must be received within 30 calendar days of the date of this response letter.

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Your appeal may also be sent by e-mail FOIAAppeals@doc.gov or by facsimile (fax) to 202-482-2552. The appeal must include a copy of the original request, the response to the request and a statement of the reason why withheld records should be made available and why denial of the records was in error. The submission (including e-mail and fax submissions) is not complete without the required attachments. The appeal letter, the envelope, the e-mail subject line, and the fax cover sheet should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." The e-mail, fax machine, and Office are monitored only on working days during normal business hours (8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, Monday through Friday). FOIA appeals posted to the e-mail box, fax machine or Office after normal business hours will be deemed received on the next normal business day.

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